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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re/ Application of K. Reynolds et al. Application No. 09/066,513 Filed April 24, 1998

Examiner S. Nolan Group Art Unit 1772

ABRASION RESISTANT MULTI-WALL ARTICLE AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME

(Attorney Docket No. P21,669 USA)

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REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER & REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a reply under 37 CFR §1.111 for the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR §1.9 and 37 CFR §1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously

submitted.

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Request is hereby made under 37 CFR §1.17(a) to extend the time for a response to the Office Action of April 1, 2004 to and through August 1, 2004, comprising an extension of the shortened period of 3 months for 1 month. A check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed to cover the fee under 37 CFR §1.17(a) for an extension of 1 month.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17 and under 37 CFR 1.20 (d), or any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 including fees for presentation of extra claims during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-5425. This sheet is attached in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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